

## INTRODUCTION

### **Andrés Edwards**

Andrés Edwards is an educator, award-winning author, media designer and sustainability consultant. He is founder and principal of EduTracks a firm specializing in developing education programs and consulting services on sustainable practices for green building and business initiatives. His work includes developing energy management and sustainability plans as well as training and awareness programs for municipalities, colleges and property managers. He has worked as producer, exhibit developer, and consultant for projects in natural history, biodiversity and sustainable community for companies and towns throughout the US and abroad.

Andrés is author of *Thriving Beyond Sustainability: Pathways to a Resilient Society*, which received a gold medal in the Living Now Book Awards. The book draws a collective map of individuals, organizations and communities from around the world that are committed to building an alternative future. His previous books include *The Sustainability Revolution: Portrait of a Paradigm Shift*, providing a comprehensive primer on the history, evolution and future of the movement toward sustainability from various sectors of society, and *Tibet: Enduring Spirit, Exploited Land*, (co-authored with Robert Apte), which examines the relationship of Tibetan nomads and farmers to the environment.

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